STEWART MILLINERY OPENING, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7th


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# FIFTY-SIX MEN SUMMONED FOR MILITARY DUTY FROM 5TH DISTRICT

### First Contingent Left Donora This Afternoon at 3 o'clock

### OTHERS WILL GO THURSDAY

The following list of registrants of the Fifth District of Washington county have been called for military service and will leave for cantonments as per the schedule arrangd by the local board, which is as follows:

To entrain from Donora on Tuesday, September 3, 1918 at 3 p. m. for Camp Sherman, O.

Frank Erbe, Jr., Donora, Pa.
John L. Aughenbobler, Monongahela
John William Grundy Donora.
Joseph Glouni, Monongahela.
Harry Hollen Davis Charleroi.
Robert Murray Hudspith, Charleroi
Douglas Chas. Bislop, Donora.
Rudolph Schmidt, Charleroi.
Thomas E. Waugh, Monongahela, inducted from Camden, N. J.

To entrain from Donora on Thursday, September 5, 1918, at 2 p. m. for Camp Greenleaf, Ryle, Ga.

Frank Kefover, Monongahela.
James W. Weaver, Lock No. 4.
Sam Makesolemi, Monongahela.
James Reebles, Donora.
John Belfanna, Monongahela.
Thos. McGinty, New Eagle.
Chase L. Tomlinson, Hazzard.
George Omer, Charleroi.
Attilio Forlini, Donora.
Antonio Torelli, Black Diamond.
Mato Ripka, Donora.
Joseph Schwaed, Charleroi.
Paul Drost, Donora.
Vincenzo Antinito, Monongahela.
Sam Staley, Donora.
William Urben, Donora.
John Gainovish, R. F. D. No. 2, Monongahela.
James Edmonds, Monongahela.
Joe Tucelli, Charleroi.
Frank Eckels, Monongahela.
Walter S. Gunyan, Donora.
Rene Joseph Durieux, New Eagle.
Lorraine Wells, Lock No. 4.
John M. Leaver, Monongahela.
Carl A. Altealior, Donora.
W. Duncan Berryman, Charleroi.
Noah L. Godisart, Charleroi.
Alcite A. Durieux, Monongahela.
Harry Chevalier, Lock No. 4.
Fred Molle, Charleroi.
Paul Hugus, R. F. D. No. 1, Speers
Gerald J. Burkhart, Donora
Wilbert Elder, Charleroi
Solomon Leppert, Charleroi.
George Chesmar, Donora.
Edw. J. Jenas, Monongahela
Joseph M. Power, R. F. D. No. 2, Monongahela
Rene Parent, Charleroi.
John Hopkins, Courtney.
Alfred Reid, Charleroi
Eugene W. Billick, Monongahela.
Carl J. Kurpjuweit, Charleroi.
John G. Fair, Charleroi
Paul Moffitt, Charleroi.
Geo. Schaffer, Charleroi.
Nicholas J. McDonough, Cincinnati, Ohio.
Raymond Craft, Lock No. 4.

### NEW DRAFT BILL IS NOW IN FULL FORCE

The new draft bill requiring all men between the ages of 18 and 46 years was signed by President Wilson on Saturday and he has fixed Thursday, September 12, as registration day. Four minute men throughout the country will begin a seven-day speaking campaign Thursday evening in the moving picture theatres urging all men affected by the new law to register on the day specified.

# WHO MUST REGISTER

### All Men Between 18 and 46 Must Appear Before Draft Boards

### DRAFTEES ABOUT EXHAUSTED

All male persons who have attained their eighteenth birthday but have not reached their forty-sixth birthday by September 12, must register in draft districts September 12, Major W. G Murdock of the State Draft headquarters at Harrisburg announced on Monday. "This means," he said "that every man who has not yet reached the age of 46 must register."

Figures showing the complete registration of August 24 and 26 were completed at the state draft headquarters on Monday, showing 13,692, of whom 11,380 are white citizens, 857 colored citizens and 1,455 aliens.

Notice was received that all Class 1 of 1917 and 1918 classes will be exhausted by September 30, and that boards should immediately examine and prepare August registrants for the early October call.

### SENDS ONE MAN TO PHILADELPHIA

Secretary Joe T. S. Cowen of the selective board of the Fourth District sent Glenn T. Hancock of West Brownsville to the Spring Garden Institute, Philadelphia, this morning to take a course of auto mechanics. On completion of his course, Hancock will be asigned to some one of the motor Truck units now in the service of the United States Army.

### DEFENDANT ACQUITTED ON MURDER CHARGE

Ciacinto Silario the young Italian charged with them urder of Louis Marcetti at Bentleyville on the 13th of last October was cleared by a jury in criminal court at Washington on Friday. The vidence against Silario was purely circumstantial.

# August Coal Shipments Break Local Records

All records of coal shipments through Lock No. 4 were smashed during August, as shown by the report of Lockmaster Sweeney, which he made to the United States Engineers' office at Pittsburg on Monday. Coke shipments for themonth fell off, as compared with July, butthe aggregate of coal and coke for August went away ahead of the previous month. The August totals were, coal 28,563,000; coke, 719,350, or a grand total of 29,282,350 bushels. In July the shipments were, coal, 25,032,000; coke 2,420,000, for atotal of 27,752,500 or an increase for August over July of 1,530,800 bushels. The traffic report is as follows:

Going down—Lockings, 571; steamers 393, boats and barges 1784, other craft 41, bushels coal, 28,563,000, bushels coke 719,350, cubic yards stone, 710, timber cubic feet 4,000, lumber board measure 288,000, passengers 29.

Going up—Lockings 556, steamers 391, boats and barges 1769, other craft 39, bushels sand 86,000, bushels gravel 23,700, passengers 45. Rainfall 6.15.

The shipments of sand and gravel fell off considerably from the previous month, as did coke shipments.

This latter fact is due to a change in plans which the Carnegie Steel company had to make, in that it had to ship more coal to the by-products plant at Clairton, thus taking up the services of its steamboats which had previously been towing considerable quantities of coke from the sixth pool. The Carnegie Company would have made much heavier shipments of coal if it had steamers available for such service, the Wayman and Duquesne, both being out of commission for a short time on account of having to lay up for necessary repairs. To help out in the situation the steamer Rival, of the Rodgers Sand company, was chartered and has been in the trade from the upper pools to Clairton as well as the steamer A. R. Pudd of the Diamond Coal company. However, during the preesnt month the Carnegie company expects to have at least two additional boats in local service, the Clingerman, now being completed at the Rees' yards in Pittsburg, and the twin screw propeller, Clairton, now completed at Charleston, W. Va., and which will be brought to the Pittsburg harbor just as soon as there is sufficient water in the Ohio to navigate the boat.

Considering the shortage of labor at the various mines as well as on the river the coal shipments are looked upon as remarkable. As an instance of this shortage at the Lilley mine near California, which formerly employed 400 men, on Saturday last only 150 names appeared on the payroll. This state of affairs applies to other mines.

The steamer Keystone of the Keystone Coal company has been chartered by the Clyde Coal company to take the place of the steamer Clyde, which is now on the marine ways at Elizabeth for an extensive overhauling.

The rainfall for the month was quite heavy, but it was largely local. However a good boating stage was maintained in the river all month, varying from 9 to 12 feet, which was accomplished by means of splash boards and adjustable weirs on all the dams.

The rains of last week raised the pools slightly, which will sweep out considerable sand which had accumulated in the river during the dry spell. Only a few boats were running, but this morning navigation was resumed in full.

# BRINGS SUIT FOR HEAVY DAMAGES

Anton and Margaret Sims of West Newton have filed a suit against Ralph Yates of Charleroi in which they claim $10,000 damages for the death of their daughter, Agnes Sims aged seven years, who was fatally hurt when struck by an automobile of the defendant at West Newton, September 2, 1917. The child died on the following day, September 3. The defendant is charged with negligence. It is averred that the car was being driven in a reckless manner; that the defendant did not have proper control of the car, that he did not keep a lookout ahead for any one that might be crossing the street and that he was incompetent and inexperienced in driving an automobile.

### Notice

All accounts due me may be paid at my office, Lock Four, any evening after 6 o'clock. An attendance will be at the office all week from 8 a. m. to 10 p. m. and following that time will be there each evening after 6 o'clock.

Dr. A. S. Sickman
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# GAME PREVENTED BY THE SHERIFF

The baseball game advertised for Sunday afternoon last at the local ball park was called off at the last minute, just as the two teams were about to play. At that time Sheriff Wickerham and County Detectives Marker and McCleary appeared on the scene and told the managers of both teams that if they started to play the game the players would be arrested. This of course put a veto on the proceedings, the game called off and the admission money returned to those who were in the park.

Sheriff Wickerham and the County detectives had come at the direction of Isaac W. Baum, the district attorney, to whom a request had been sent from Charleroi, asking that steps be taken to prevent the game. This he did by directing the Sheriff to take such steps as would be necessary to prevent the program of the afternoon being carried out.

Private Robert Lytle a member of the United States Marine Corps, has arrived safely overseas, according to word received by his mother here in Charleroi.

# THE BOARD OF HEALTH COMPELS RESTAURANT TO MOVE QUARTERS

### Proprietor Fined for Conducting Unsanitary Eating House

### TWO DAYS IN WHICH TO MOVE

Health Officer Darby, backed by the Charleroi Health Board, compelled the National restaurant occupying the one-story building at the corner of McKean avenue and Fourth street, to quit business at that stand on Saturday last. The proprietor, Sam Monchotis, was given two days in which to receive his goods and cease business at that place, failure of which would mean other legal action.

Health Officer Darby, on Saturday morning, served a warrant on Monchotis, at the direction of the Health board, summoning him to appear before the Burgess on acharge of keeping an unsanitary restaurant in an unsanitary building, to the detriment of the general public. The hearing was set for 2 o'clock in the afternoon at which time Monchotis appeared as well as the prosecution. After hearing the evidence the Burgess imposed a fine and costs on Monchotis amounting to $4.20 with the admonition to get out of the building at once. Monchotis said he would get out in about a month, as he wished to dispose of his stock, but he was informed by the health officer that if he was found in there after the date specified he would again be arrested and haled before the authorities for trial. He was directed to have his goods removed and discontinue business at that point by Monday evening.

This building was condemned by the State health department a short time ago and a couple of weeks ago the owner had the rear portion of the structure torn down. The local health department, however, was not satisfied with the continuance of the restaurant in the building and ordered it discontinued at that place.

### SAVES HIS LIFE BY CHANGING POSITIONS

Lieut-Col. Henry W. Coulter of Greensburg, probably owes his life to the fact that he changed places with Lieut-Col. Wallace Welmer Fetzer. Col. Coulter held a position with the 110th Infantry and exchanged with Col. Fetzer of the 109th. On the 29th of July Col. Fetzer was killed in action a fate which might have befallen Col. Coulter had he been with his old command.

# HOUSIKA GIVEN A JAIL TERM

### Wife Sent to Asylum For Criminal Insane For Treatment

### PAROLE REFUSED BY COURT

Mike Housika, convicted in the criminal court at Washington last Friday on the charge of receiving stolen goods, in connection with the systematic shiplifting that his wife carried on here in Charleroi and other towns was on Monday sentenced by the court to pay the costs, a fine of $10 and to undergo imprisonment in the county jail for four months. He is also to restore the goods stolen, if not already restored. His wife, Mary Housika, acquitted of larceny by reason of insanity, was committed to the State Institution will depend on the improve. Fairview. Her release from that institution will depend on the improvement of her condition while confined there.

Judge Brownson in passing sentence in answering the plea of the counsel for the woman, that she be released and put under some supervision, stated that in the court's opinion the circumstances surrounding the woman's case were such, the jury having acquitted her on account of insanity as to make her a menace to society and therefore she should be committed to some institution for observation and care, under physicians skilled in such matters.

As to the husband, a plea was made for a parole. It was stated he had not been in trouble before and was a victim of circumstances. It was admitted that he had erred in not informing the merchants from whom the goods had been stolen.

The district attorney opposed the parole for either the woman or the man. As to the man, it was stated that since the trial it was learned that he had practically depended for support on the larceny by his wife and children and that he had trained his children to steal from stores.

# ARREST WIDOW FOR PERJURY

In connection with the acquittal of Giacinto Silario of the charge of murder in the Washington county criminal court at Washington on Friday, the wife of the murdered man, Mrs. Marcetti one of the witnesses subpoenaed by the commonweaith, was arrested late in the afternoon on the charge of perjury and is now in the county jail. The information was made by County Detective Marker. It is asserted the woman swore to one thing before the grand jury and another thing when she appeared on the witness stand in court.

Miss Nelle Ludwig of McKean avenue is visiting with relatives at Cleveland, Ohio.


Majestic Theatre Today
"ROSE OF PARADISE" featuring Bessie Parriscale
Also Gov't Official Pictures and Comedy
TOMORROW--"HEART OF A GIRL"

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The First National Bank
CHARLEROI, PA.

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Dictionaries - 10c to $3.50

Knowledge Tablets---the kind that are used in the schools
White or yellow paper 5c
Composition and Note Books 5c
MIGHT'S BOOK STORE

Coyle Theatre Today
J. Stuart Blackton and Thomas Meighan in "MISSING"
Tomorrow---Elsie Ferguson in an Artcraft picture, "A DOLL'S HOUSE"

What gift for the young man just entering business life is equal to a Good Watch? It is the gift that he will cherish by making him punctual at his engagements; etc.
We have a splendid display of excellent movements, the Elgin, Howard and Hallmark ranging in cost from $7.50 to $125 and in Jewels from $7 to $17.

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# You Will Find It Real Economy To Buy Our New Fall Dresses

We are showing for early Fall wear a beautiful assortment of Serge and Jersey Cloth Dresses. These dresses are now on display in our windows and you will find it to your advantage to buy early this season, as you will find this the most important dress offering featured in months. Dresses now on sale that cannot be duplicated later in the season.

**Beautiful Serge and Jersey Cloth Dresses**

**$20, $25 to $32.50**

**New Fall Millinery Now on Display**

# J. W. BERRYMAN & SON

CHARLEROI'S BUSY STORE

**Store Closed All Day Monday--Labor Day**

**Starting Tuesday Evening Store Will Keep Open Until Six o'clock Every Evening.**

**Mondays until 8:30 Saturdays until 10:00**


PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION SUBMITTED TO THE CITIZENS OF THE COMMONWEALTH FOR THEIR APPROVAL OR REJECTION, AT THE ELECTION TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1918, BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, AND PUBLISHED BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, IN PURSUANCE OF ARTICLE XVIII OF THE CONSTITUTION.

Number One.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to article nine section four of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; authorizing the State to issue bonds to the amount of fifty millons of dollars for the improvement of the highways of the Commonwealth.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendment to the Constitution of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:—

That section four of article nine, which reads as follows:

"Section 4. No debt shall be created by or on behalf of the State, except to supply casual deficiencies of revenue, repel invasion, suppress insurrection, defend the State in war, or to pay existing debt; and the debt created to supply deficiency in revenue shall never exceed in the aggregate, at any one time, one million dollars," be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 4. No debt shall be created by or on behalf of the State, except to supply casual deficiencies of revenue, repel invasion, suppress insurrection, defend the State in war, or to pay existing debt; and the debt created to supply deficiencies in revenue shall never exceed in the aggregate, at any one time, one million dollars: Provided, however, That the General Assembly, irrespective of any debt, may authorize the State to issue bonds to the amount of fifty millions of dollars for the purpose of improving and rebuilding the highways of the Commonwealth.

Section 2. Said proposed amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State, at the general election to be held on the Tuesday next following the first Monday of November in the year nineteen hundred and eighteen, for the purpose of deciding upon the approval and ratification or the rejection of said amendment. Said election shall be opened, held, and closed upon said election day, at the places and within the hours at and within which said election is directed to be opened, held, and closed, and in accordance with the provisions of the laws of Pennsylvania governing elections, and amendments thereto. Such amendment shall be printed upon the ballots in the form and manner prescribed by the election laws of Pennsylvania, and shall in all respects conform to the requirement of such laws.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 1.
CYRUS E. WOODS,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Two.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to section eight, article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof:—

Amendment to Article Nine, Section Eight.

That section eight of article nine, of the Constitution be amended by striking out the said section and inserting in place thereof the following:—

Section 8. The debt of any county, city, borough, township, school district, or other municipality or incorporated district, except as provided herein, and in section fifteen of this article, shall never exceed seven (7) per centum upon the assessed value of the taxable property therein, but the debt of the city of Philadelphia may be increased in such amount that the total city debt of said city shall not exceed ten per centum (10) upon the assessed valuation of property, without the consent of the electors thereof at a public election in such manner as shall be provided by law. In ascertaining the borrowing capacity of the said city of Philadelphia, at any time, there shall be excluded from the calculation and deducted from such debt so much of the debt of the said city as shall have been incurred, and the proceeds thereof invested, in any public improvements of any character which shall be yielding to the said city an annual current net revenue. The amount of such deduction shall be ascertained by capitalizing the annual net revenue from such improvement during the year immediately preceding the time of such ascertainment; and such capitalization shall be estimated by ascertaining the principal amount which would yield such annual current net revenue, at the average rate of interest, and sinking-fund charges payable upon the indebtedness incurred by said city for such purposes, up to the time of such ascertainment. The method of determining such amount, so to be deducted, may be prescribed by the General Assembly. In incurring indebtedness for any purpose the city of Philadelphia may issue its obligations maturing not later than fifty (50) years from the date thereof, with provision for a sinking-fund sufficient to retire said obligations at maturity, the payment to such sinking fund to be in equal or graded annual or other periodical instalments. Where any indebtedness shall be or shall have been incurred by said city of Philadelphia for the purpose of the construction or improvement of public works of any character from which income or revenue is to be derived by said city, or for the reclamation of land to be used in the construction of wharves or docks owned or to be owned by said city, such obligations may be in an amount sufficient to provide for, and may include the amount of, the interest and sinking-fund charges accruing and which may accrue thereon throughout the period of construction, and until the expiration of one year after the completion of the work for which said indebtedness shall have been incurred; and said city shall not be required to levy a tax to pay said interest and sinking-fund charges as required by section ten, article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, until the expiration of said period of one year after the completion of said work.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 2.
CYRUS E. WOODS,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION SUBMITTED TO THE CITIZENS OF THE COMMONWEALTH FOR THEIR APPROVAL OR REJECTION, BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, AND PUBLISHED BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, IN PURSUANCE OF ARTICLE XVIII OF THE CONSTITUTION.

Number One.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to section eleven of article sixteen of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:—

Amend section eleven, article sixteen of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, which reads as follows:

"No corporate body to possess banking and discounting privileges shall be created or organized in pursuance of any law without three months previous public notice, at the place of the intended location, of the intention to apply for such privileges, in such manner as shall be prescribed by law, nor shall a charter for such privilege be granted for a longer period than twenty years," so that it shall read as follows:

The General Assembly shall have the power by general law to provide for the incorporation of banks and trust companies, and to prescribe the powers thereof.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 1.
CYRUS E. WOODS,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Two.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to section seventeen of article three of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof:—

That section sixteen of article three, which reads as follows:

"Section 16. No money shall be paid out of the treasury, except upon appropriations made by law, and on warrant drawn by the proper officers in pursuance thereof," be, and the same is hereby amended so that the same shall read as follows:

Section 16. No money shall be paid out of the State Treasury except in accordance with the provisions of an act of Assembly specifying the amount and object of the expenditure, and limiting the time of such appropriations, and

be expended. All public money shall be paid by the State Treasurer on warrant drawn by the Auditor General.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 2.
CYRUS E. WOODS,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Three.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to article nine, section eight of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly met, That the following amendment to the Constitution of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:—

That article nine, section eight, be amended to read as follows:

Section 8. The debt of any county, city, borough, township, school district, or other municipality or incorporated district, except as provided herein, and in section fifteen of this article, shall never exceed seven (7) per centum upon the assessed value of the taxable property therein, but the debt of the city of Philadelphia may be increased in such amount that the total city debt of said city shall not exceed ten per centum (10) upon the assessed value of the taxable property therein, nor shall any such municipality or district incur any new debt, or increase its indebtedness to an amount exceeding two (2) per centum upon such assessed valuation of property, without the consent of the electors thereof at a public election in such manner as shall be provided by law. In ascertaining the borrowing capacity of the city of Philadelphia, at any time, there shall be excluded from the calculation and deducted from such debt so much of the debt of the said city as shall have been incurred, and the proceeds thereof invested, in any public improvements of any character which shall be yielding to the said city an annual current net revenue. The amount of such deduction shall be ascertained by capitalizing the annual net revenue from such improvement during the year immediately preceding the time of such ascertainment; and such capitalization shall be estimated by ascertaining the principal amount which would yield such annual current net revenue, at the average rate of interest, and sinking-fund charges payable upon the indebtedness incurred by said city for such purposes, up to the time of such ascertainment. The method of determining such amount, so to be deducted, may be prescribed by the General Assembly. In incurring indebtedness for any purpose the city of Philadelphia may issue its obligations maturing not later than fifty (50) years from the date thereof, with provision for a sinking-fund sufficient to retire said obligations at maturity, the payment to such sinking fund to be in equal or graded annual or other periodical instalments. Where any indebtedness shall be or shall have been incurred by said city of Philadelphia for the purpose of the construction or improvement of public works of any character from which income or revenue is to be derived by said city, or for the reclamation of land to be used in the construction of wharves or docks owned or to be owned by said city, such obligation may be in an amount sufficient to provide for, and may include the amount of, the interest and sinking-fund charges accruing and which may accrue thereon throughout the period of construction, and until the expiration of one year after the completion of the work for which said indebtedness shall have been incurred; and said city shall not be required to levy a tax to pay said interest and sinking-fund charges as required by section ten, article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, until the expiration of said period of one year after the completion of said work.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 3.
CYRUS E. WOODS,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Four.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

An amendment to section one of article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, relating to taxation.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the following amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof:—

That section one of article nine, which reads as follows:

All taxes shall be uniform, upon the same class of subjects, within the territorial limits of the authority levying the tax, and shall be levied and collected under general laws, but the General Assembly may, by general laws, exempt from taxation public property used or public purposes, actual places of religious worship, places of burial not used or held for private or corporate profit, and institutions of purely public charity, be amended so as to read as follows:

All taxes shall be uniform, upon the same class of subjects, within the territorial limits of the authority levying the tax, and shall be levied and collected under general laws, and the subjects of taxation may be classified for the purpose of levying graded or progressive taxes; but the General Assembly may, by general laws, exempt from taxation public property used for public purposes, actual places of religious worship, places of burial not used or held for private or corporate profit, and institutions of purely public charity.

Section 2. Said proposed amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State, at the general election to be held on Tuesday next following the first Monday of November in the year nineteen hundred and nineteen for the purpose of deciding upon the approval and ratification or the rejection of said amendment. Said election shall be opened, held and closed upon said election day, at the places and within the hours at and within which said election is directed to be opened, held and closed and in accordance with the provisions of the laws of Pennsylvania governing elections, and amendments thereto. Such amendment shall be printed upon the ballots in the form and manner prescribed by the election laws of Pennsylvania, and shall in all respects conform to the requirement of such laws.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 4.
CYRUS E. WOODS,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

# ACID SERIOUSLY AFFECTS ONE LOCK

Acid conditions in the Monongahela river of which mention was made yesterday have become so serious that the locks are now being affected from this source, and already one chamber at No. Three is out of commission because of this condition. One of the gates of the outer chamber at No. Three has been eaten so badly by the acid that it was found necessary to close it until such times as repairs can be made. Officials from the United States Engineers' office at Pittsburg have already gone over the situation and may arrange for temporary repairs until such times as new gates can be installed. These new gates which will be of wood, are under construction at the government boat yard at North Charleroi and some of them will soon be completed. As soon as they are ready they will be placed in position at No. Three.

In the meantime navigation is being delayed considerably because of this breakdown at No. Three and government officials are apprehensive for the other structures, as they are apt to be affected in the same manner, particularly those in the lower valley. Low water is adding to the dangers from acid now in the river and which will likely be much worse before conditions are improved.

# SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

**Washington Avenue Presbyterian.**

Sabbath school at 9:45. Preaching at 11. Sermon "Eternity in the Heart." Sr. C. E. at 6:30. Topic. "Our Tongue for Christ" Leader Mrs Vivie Stewart. Preaching at 7:30. Sermon, "A Cry from the Depths." Rev. John R. Burson, pastor.

**First Presbyterian**

Sunday school 9:45 Morning worship 11. Subject "Sacrifice" Christian Endeavor 6:30. Evening worship 7:30. Subject. "Big Little Things." Midweek meeting Wednesday 7:30.

**Methodist**

Sunday school 9:45. Preaching 10:45. Subject "The Stewardship of Prayer." Epworth League at 7. Preaching at 8. Sermon subject, "The Stewardship of Souls." C. A. Hartung, minister.

**First Christian.**

Bible school 9:45. Communion and preaching 10:45. Subject, "The Lord's Day" Evening worship 8 Subject, "Climbing Heavenward." C. G. Huffer minister.

**Lutheran**

Sunday school 9:45. Preaching 11. Subject. "The Church and Her Influence." Vesper services with sermon 7:30. Subject, "The Reward of Goodness." C. P. Bastian, pastor.

**Riverside Grove, Dunlevy**

Monday, September 2, Labor Day dancing 8 to 11:45. Also dancing Tuesday and Saturday evenings. Good music and good order. John Barrass, manager. 73-t3-p


# Stop! Look! Listen!

**FOR SALE**

Six room house with vacant lot, McKean avenue.

Two Four Room house, Prospect avenue.

Five room house, Lincoln avenue

One lot Meadow avenue.

One lot Crest avenue.

Lots at Lock Four. Cash or payments.

**A. L. DUBINSKY**

412 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi, Pa.

# FOR SALE

Block of 5 lots McKean avenue, $1,000.

Modern brick dwelling McKean, $11,000.

Six room dwelling McKean avenue, near Eighth street, $4,200.

Lot on Crest avenue near Seventh street 50x250, $2,500.

Lot corner Eleventh and Oakland, $350.

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# SUGAR IN PLENTY FOR CANNING USE

It has come to the attention of the officials of the food administration that some misunderstanding exists in the minds of the public regarding sugar for preserving purposes. Consumers may secure from their retailers whatever quantity of sugar they require for bona-fide preserving purposes in lots up to 25 pounds at a time.

Some retailers have had difficulty in anticipating their sugar requirements for the past month or more and many retailers have been running so close lately on sugar for ordinary use that they are reluctant to sell sugar for canning purposes. Special arrangements have been made by the food administration insuiting all retailers having their sugar certificates redeemed immediately by county food administrators, thus enabling them to replenish their sugar stocks which have been depleted through honoring canning certificates.

Howard Heinz, Federal food administrator for Pennsylvania, urges any housewife who fails to secure sugar from her grocer for canning and preserving to write to the county food administrator who will see that her legitimate requirements are taken care of.

"Mr. Hoover," said Mr. Heinz, "counts on the patriotic co-operation of the housewife in this sugar crisis to conserve sugar for her regular family use, to create a sufficient supply for all canning and preserving.

"In the country districts where farmers do preserving in a large way and require the use of more than 25 pounds a day, they may secure this sugar in larger quantities than 25 pounds by application to the county food administrator.

The food administrator hopes that no housewife will fail to can and preserve this year as she has in the past and the administration will do its best toward making available the necessary sugar for this purpose. On the other hand, the supply of sugar is short and will take patriotic co-operation of everybody, including grocers and housewives to aid Mr. Hoover in making the limited supply of sugar go around without installation of any such undemocratic retaining scheme The height of the canning season is as individual sugar cards would be now at hand. The consumer and the retailer must co-operate with the food administration in avoiding abuse of these privileges, thus justifying Mr. Hoover's confidence is the self-sacrificing spirit of the American public.

J. L. Lockmart,
Food Administrator for Washington County.

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A base ball game has been advertised for the local ball park, to be played tomorrow afternoon beginning at 3:30 o'clock. The contesting teams will be Monongahela vs the Pittsburg Steel Products. Proceeds of the game will go to the Charleroi War Chest Fund.

Miss Hazel Castor of Fallowfield avenue has returned from the East where she spent the past week attending the fall milliner openings.

Born—To Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Hartung 617 Crest avenue, Saturday morning August 31—a daughter.

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FOR SALE—A good 6 room house with bath, also electric lights, McKean Avenue. A 4 room house on 5th street a bargain for quick buyer. Inquire Peoples Realty Co. 69 tf

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WANTED—Eight men between the age of 25 and 45 with some selling ability for work in Monongahela valley and be home any night. Godd salary ad comimsion for right party. Apply to M. Borst 400 Fifth street, Charleroi, Pa. 41-tf

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## THE RETURNING SOLDIER

How to provide for the returning soldier after the armies of the United States have been demobilized is one of the problems that is now confronting the country and one that must have a satisfactory solution if the government is to give to these men a proper compensation for the arduous duties and long days of service while in the army.

The Secretary of the Interior, Hon. Franklin K. Lane, has presented to the President and to Congress recently a comprehensive plan for a preliminary study of the unused lands of the country, with particular reference to the irrigation of some 15,000,000 acres of arid land, the drainage of between 70,000,000 and 80,000,000 acres of swamp land and thec learing of approximately 200,000,000 acres of cut-over or logged-off land, with the purpose in view of reclaiming these lands through Governmental agency and providing homes for returned soldiers.

Men back from the trenches, used to the outdoor life, will want a man-sized job, and nothing will appeal with more force to many of them than an opportunity to turn some of the government waste land into productive acres, and to make the waste places grow with the most abundant vegetation. The plan is a splendid one and the details will require much study in order to make it attractive to the men who have entered the army and who will be eligible under its provisions to share in the benefits which it proposes to give the soldiers of our armies. That the plan proposed by Secretary Lane is popular is made manifest by the many favorable responses he has received from members of Congress who have gone into the subject quite deeply and who believe that its proper solution will solve the question as to what can best be done for the men returning from military service in Europe.

## SMASHING THE LINE

The Allied armies are making steady advances against the Huns in Flanders and Picardy and the Germans are slowly approaching the trenches they left on the 21st of March on their spectacular drive for what they supposed was to be their ultimate victory. Gen. Foch's armies are pushing the initiative and all of them making the most substantial advances, except the Americans in the southern portion of the line, where things are somewhat quiet.

However, it is believed that momentous events are about to take place. Gen. Pershing is reported as slowly assembling his immense army and it is not improbable that it will be put in motion in a short time. Just when it is hard to predict but conditions have reached such a point along the northern part of the battle line that it looks as if something was about to be done in the lower sectors, with the American soldiers as the chief actors. Of course they are carrying on local operations, but what people are now expecting is some general forward movement which will have a tendency to push the German line even farther back than contemplated by the German high command.

The Hindenburg line has been crossed in the northern section, while the Allied armies are near to it at another point in the vicinity of the Goben forest. With the American executing a general forward movement in the south conditions may be made so warm for the Germans that they will have to give way. In any event the German line is slowly retreating and while the movement is somewhat orderly at the present time it is believed that it may have to be accelerated within a few days if they would same themselves. The Huns are facing and racing toward Berlin which is cause for elation on the part of the Allies.

## JAMES DONALD CAMERON

There passed away at his home in Middletown, Pa., on Friday last, a man who at one time was a conspicuous and prominent figure in the political field of the state and nation, and one who in a large measure controlled the destinies of his native commonwealth. This man was James Donald Cameron, who at the time of his death was 86 years of age.

The older politicians of the state will remember him, for "Don" Cameron was the political power of the State He made and unmade men and was a Stalwart of the Stalwarts. The son of Simon Cameron, who during the early days of the Secretary of War in Lincoln's cabinet and later minister to Russia, he succeeded his father in later years in the United States Senate in which body he served for many years, or until his retirement from public life.

He was the great power before "Matt" Quay assumed command of the Republican forces of Pennsylvania and was a man who had many sincere and warm friends as well as bitter political enemies. He was a hard fighter in any political contest, and was never beaten until his opponents had proven their victory. He was Secretary of War in President Grant's cabinet and later in 1882, when General Grant was a candidate for the Republican nomination for President, Mr. Cameron was his most devoted lieutenant, and with Roscoe Conkling of New York, held the 306 votes solid and enthusiastic for their silent leader.

The passing of Mr. Cameron means little if anything to the present generation but to those of older years it will bring back memories of many a political battle of the fiercest character in which no quarter was asked and none given.

## WAR AND ART

The death of Joyce Kilmer at the battle front has called attention to the fact that the war has stimulated poetry in America as it did in England. But it seems that the war has not stimulated art in this country. Never before has the Government patronized art as it is doing today, but, in the language of the street, the artists have not delivered the goods. It is said that recently hundreds of designs were submitted to the Government's art committee, yet only three or four of the contestants knew how to make a poster possessing artistic merit "that could be printed straight away from their designs." Noting this fact, or alleged fact, Joseph Pennell, the well known Philadelphia illustrator, laments that out of the 34,311 artists and designers in this country "there are not 34 who are capable of making a poster which will appeal to the country and will print from their own designs."

What is the explanation of this? Lack of training, according to Mr. Pennell; but this can hardly be the only lack for there are some thousands of professional teachers of art and Mr. Pennell himself says "we are squandering $12,000,000 a year on art education" He calls for a Government training school for craftsmen similar to those in France and England but the Government itself can not create genius—the thing which in every line ranks far ahead of training. As a rule, the people who study much become only critics, while the people who have the gift in them to begin with go ahead and do the creative work of the world. It is to be hoped that the situation is really more promising than it is pictured by Mr. Pennell, who is known to be a very pessimistic critic in the field of American art.

## REASSURE THE BOYS

"The boys in France want to know what the folks back home are doing to help them win the war. They want to know whether they are buying Liberty Bonds and supporting all the other lesser, yet all important, war aids. They are doing their bit loyally. They want to know whether the folks at home are doing theirs".

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We may have been secretly ashamed of ourselves in the past loans but we dare not let them be ashamed of us in this one.

Each and every one of us must dig down deeply into his pocket.

Nor must we let our efforts stop there. In the town in the township, the county at large, are many folks who have not yet bought abond. For one reason or another they have put it off they are putting it off yet.

These are the people it is our second duty to line up.

Uncle Sam needs the support of every one of them. And every one of them owes him a debt far greater than the price of a Liberty Bond. That debt is over due.

Mighty few of them cannot afford to pay. Mighty few of them will be put to a real hardship. And the more of them that escape, the sooner all of us will have to sacrifice more and more.

It is up to every one of us to get on the job, to buy our own bonds early and to round up the tardy ones.

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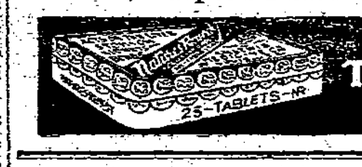


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When a person comes to a chiropractor and the Chiropractor examines his spine, he knows whether he can do anything for the patient or not, and the wise practitioner tells him so.

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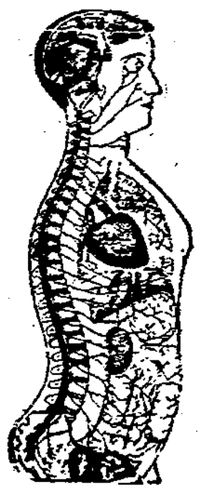

If the patient is suffering with something beyond his reach he directs him to those qualified to do what should be done, rather than add practices and adjuncts of which he knows nothing to his equipment. The Chiropractor is a specialist who knows his place and power, and who scorns adjuncts and palliatives as he scorns the use of Latin and professional dignity, so dear to the hearts of educated (?) professional men. He is a man who can DO something and KNOWS he can, and who needs no camouflage to conceal his ignorance.

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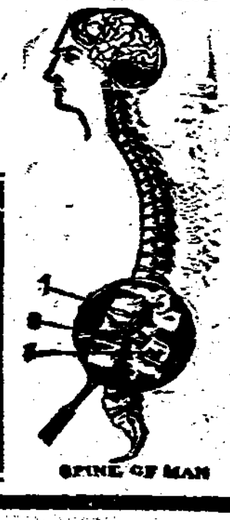


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## SPECIAL TRAIN FOR THE DRAFTEES

The selective board of theFifth District has announced that all men called for military service and who are to report at Donora on Wednesday and Thursday will not be excused after reporting at headquarters, on either of these days. A special train will carry the men on Wednesday leaving Donora about 4:30 in the afternoon and an effort is being made to obtain a special for Thursday. Stricter regulations will also prevail with the men while enroute to cantonments of which the men will be fully apprised of before leaving draft headquarters.

## BATHING BEACH CLOSED MONDAY

The "Water Chest" at the bathing beach on Monday evening closed that popular local resort and the various events were watched by a large number of interested spectators. The contests were all of an exciting character and the results were as follows:

25-yard handicap for girls; won by Elizabeth Berryman, Thelma Phillips second.

50-yard handicap for boys under 16 Paul High; first, Albert Johns second and Frederick DeMarko, third.

50-yard scratch for boys under 16 Albert Johns first, Charles Crabb, second.

100-yard handicap for boys over 16 won by Nick Baranka, Dennis Cain second.

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Fancy diving for girls, Jeannette Roseabloom first, Ruth High second.

Fancy diving for boys, Paul High first, Henry Turnball second and Martin Boggs third.

Remove blackheads, soften rough skin, clear the blood, brighten the eyes, sweeten the whole system. Nothing helps make a pretty face, winsome smile, as Hillister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Try ittonight. 35 cents.

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Crest avenue near Seventh street 50x250, $2,500.

Lot corner Eleventh and Oakland $350.

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## BUT LITTLE JOY RIDING SUNDAY

There was but little joy siding in Charleroi and vicinity on Sunday the first day of the ban on pleasure riding in automobiles. The edict of the fuel administration was accepted without amurmur, and people generally acquiesced in a very patriotic manner. There were some, of course, who allowed their selfishness to rise above patriotism and used their cars for joy riding, but if the plan followed in the larger cities on Sunday last is followed in the smaller communities there will be but little doing in the way of motor driving on Sundays until the order is lifted.

In Pittsburg and elsewhere those who were out in their cars on Sunday were greeted with cries of "Slacker" "Hun" and other epithets from those on the streets to such an extent that the joy was all taken out of the expected pelasure. In the cities many numbers were taken of drivers who persisted in taking their cars out and it may be they will be asked to give an explanation of their conduct. If the request of the government is not obeyed in this request an order may follow to enforce the provisions of the conservation measure to save gasoline.

## SPORT PROGRAM AT THE PINES

The sports in connection with the First Presbyterian Church Sabbath School Picnic, which was postponed on account of rain on Friday were held in the Pines yesterday afternoon. The results of thecontests were as follows:

Primary Girls Race, 1st, Girlie Steinbaugh; 2nd, Virginia Bateman; 3rd, Lois Orange

Primary Boys Race—1st, John Might; 2nd, Edison Owens; 3rd, Paul Beaver

Junior Boys Race—1st,Byron Steinbaugh; 2nd, Sherman Mason; 3rd, Robert Ackinson

Junior Girls Race—1st Margaret Beaver

Three legged race—1st, Gertrude Might and Margaret Beaver

Shoe Shuffle—1st, Gertrude Might.

Ladies Race—1st, Helen Might;2nd Mrs. Amos.

100 yard dash—1st, Robert Beaver.

Ball Throwing Contest—1st, Mrs. Keller; 2nd, Mrs. Showers.

Nail Driving Contest—1st, Mrs. Showers; 2nd, Mrs. Toner.

Largest family in attendance, Mrs. Beaver. The events were keenly contested and were well attended.

### TAKE OUT MARRIAGE LICENSE AT WASHINGTON

Frank Henry Thompson of Lock Four and Opal Gladys Espey of Charleroi, and John Malinchik and Anna Bijoc of Lock Four, took out marriage licenses at Washington on Monday.

### TOM A MOSIER MAY GET A COMMISSION

Tom A Mosier having completed the prescribed course at the officers' training camp at Camp Hancock, Ga., has been recommended for a commission as second lieutenant in the ordnance department.

### Darwin C. Repine.

Darwin C.,infant son of Mr.and Mrs. Michael Repine, died Monday morning at 2:30 o'clock. Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, interment in Charleroi cemetery.

### Peter Dubnanski.

Peter, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dubanaski, died September 2, at thehome of the parents 1116 Prospect avenue.

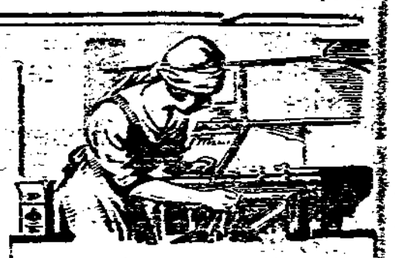
### HAS ARRIVED SAFELY IN FRANCE FOR DUTY

Warren Wise a member of the 41st Provisional Company and trained at Camp Lee, has arrived safely overseas, according to a card received by his parents this morning.

Mrs. C. P. Shaw has left for her home at Oakland, Cal., after visiting two months with her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Booth

Donald Michener has returned to Camp Humphries after spending a short furlough with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Michener of Oakland avenue.

Misses Alice and Julia Haube are visiting with realatives at Tarentum.

**TUESDAY**

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FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire 260 Mail office. 76-t1

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Corner of First and Fallowfield avenue. 76-t2p

WANTED—Eight men between the age of 25 and 45 with some selling ability for work in Monongahela valley and be home any night. Good salary ad commission for right party. Apply to M. Borst 400 Fifth street, Charleroi, Pa. 41-tf

WANTED—Girl for store work. Apply 408 Fallowfield avenue. 71-t6

WANTED—Girl for office work. Apply F. W. Woolworth Co., Charleroi, Pa. 76 t3

WANTED—Late Model Ford. Must be cheap for cash. Address 259 Mail office. 76-t5

WANTED—Room wth board if possible in private Protestant family. Address 258 Mail office. 74-t2

WANTED—A woman to dowashing 614 Fallowfield avenue, Third floor. 75-t2-p

WANTED—Man for furniture store Must know how to drive Ford truck. Reference required. Apply Southern Furniture Co. 412 Fallowfield avenue 76-t4

WANTED—Experienced girl for general house work. Good wages. Apply at Porter's jewelry store, 502 Fallowfield avenue. 76-t3

WANTED—Small girl to take care of children after school. Apply at Porter's jewelry store, 502 F allowfield avenue. 76-t3

### HOME DEFENSE POLICE WILL TAKE A HIKE

The First and Second Platoons of the Home DefensePolice will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock sharp at the Pennsylvania station for a hike. Members will report in full uniform, including blouse.

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New Fall Suits, Coats and Skirts.

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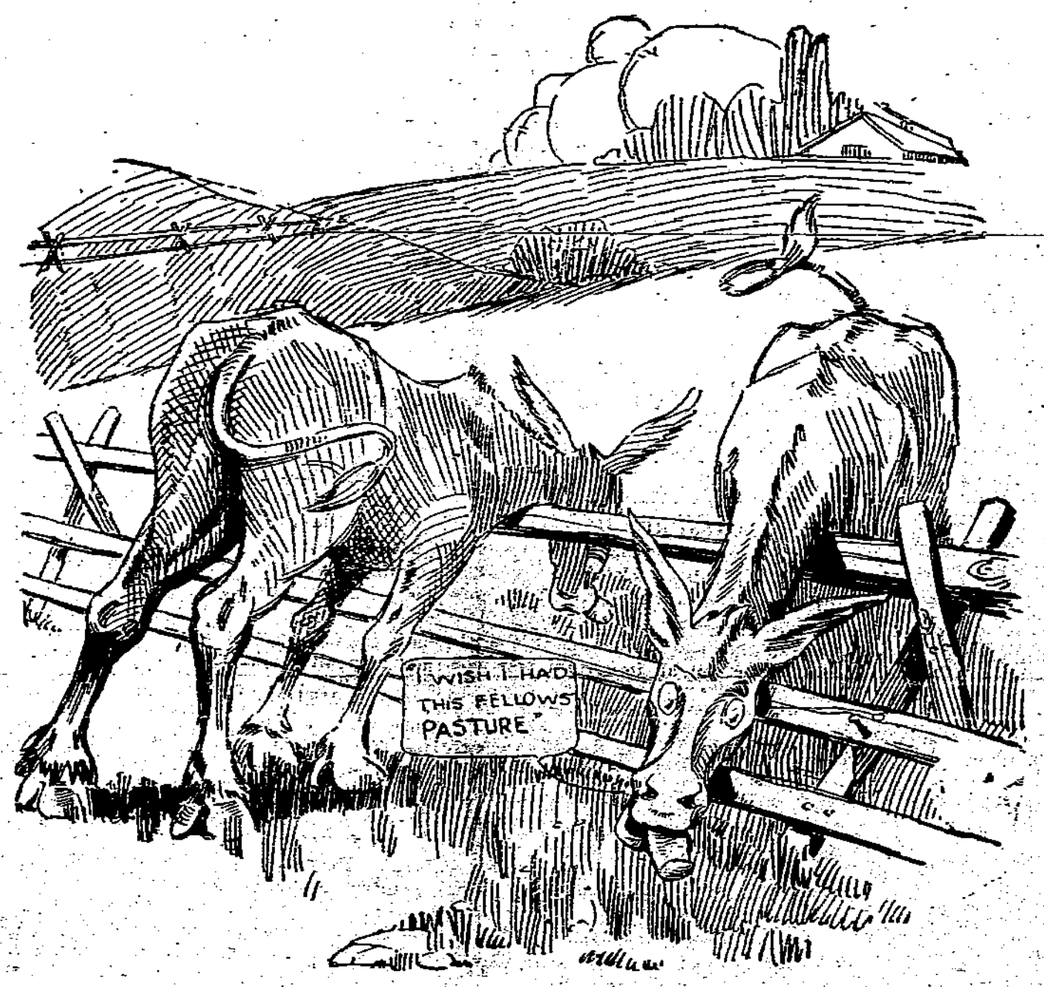


## THE TWO MULES

"The grass in the other pasture always tastes better." This may apply to mules, but it is sheer folly for intelligent thinking men and women to be governed by such a fallacy. James J. Hill hits the keynote of Community Development when he says: "Buying at long range creates commercially the same conditions that are so universally felt where absentee landlordism prevails. If farmers, local business men and local merchants should unite to build up and maintain home trade, it would add wonderfully to the Prosperity of them all. Such co-operation is a part of the solution of the problem of making country life more attractive and more profitable." We have attractive stores and complete stocks here at home. Let's patronize them and add our bit to the prosperity of our Home Town

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